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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT WITH TRANSLATION OF PCT ANNEXES

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Addition of Substitute pages based on the Annexes to the International Examination Report begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listings of claims which begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6.

Annexes

English translation of the Annexes (via substitute specification pages 1 to 3b and 6) are submitted herewith. MPEP 1893.01(a)(3). "AMENDED SHEET" is printed on the bottom of each Annex page. These pages include the English translation of the Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report. These Substitute pages should be substituted for pages 1 to 3 and page 6, of the English translation of the International application. These pages have been formatted for substitution into the English translation of the International application.

The English translation of the application, after entering the Annexes, should include the following:

Pages 1 to 3b of amended sheets,

Pages 4 to 5 of the English translation of the original application,

Page 6 of amended sheets (claims),

Page 7 of the English translation of the original application (Abstract).

The preliminary amendments presented below are to be added to the application after the addition of the Annexes.